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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
LAFAYETTE-OPELOUSAS DIVISION

BECKY PROTHRO, ET AL

CIVIL ACTION NO. 6:04-868

VERSUS

JUDGE TUCKER L. MELANÇON

WAL-MART STORES, INC.,
ET AL

MAGISTRATE JUDGE C. MICHAEL HILL

JOINT SUBMISSION TO AMEND JUDGMENT

Judgment was entered in this matter on April 13, 2006 (*see* Document 191). Among the awards granted by the jury was \$14,830.00 for past medical expenses. The parties agree that Louisiana law allows a Medicaid recipient to recover only the amount paid by the Medicaid Program in connection with the injuries made the subject matter of the case. In this case, that amount was \$5,252.00. The parties therefore amend the Judgment as follows to reflect that Plaintiff's recovery for past medical expenses is reduced to \$5,252.00:

IT IS ORDERED that the original judgment entered on April 13, 2006 be and is hereby amended and entered in favor of plaintiff Becky Prothro as Natural Tutrix for her minor son Jacob Prothro and against defendant Wal-Mart Louisiana, L.L.C. in the sum of Six Hundred Eighty-Eight Thousand, Six Hundred Forty-Six Dollars and 50/100 (\$688,646.50) and against defendant Pacific Cycle LLC in the sum of Six Hundred Eighty-Eight Thousand, Six Hundred Forty-Six Dollars and 50/100 (\$688,646.50) with interest on all sums at the rate provided for by Title 28, United States Code, Section 1961 from date of entry of judgment until paid.

All other awards contained in the April 13, 2006 Judgment remain unchanged.

AMENDED JUDGMENT SIGNED this 9th day of May, 2006 at Lafayette, Louisiana.

[Signature]

TUCKER L. MELANÇON
United States District Judge

Respectfully submitted,

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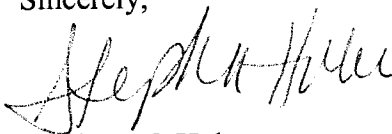
RE: Becky Prothro, et al v. Wal-Mart Stores, Inc., et al
U.S.D.C. No. 04-0868

Dear Judge Melancon:

Enclosed please find the original Joint Submission to Amend Judgment for your signature regarding the above-referenced matter.

With best regards, I remain

Sincerely,



Stephen M. Huber

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Enclosure

cc: Todd Ammons, Esq.